CLAIM AMENDMENTS:

- 1. (Currently Amended) A blackout and thermal drapery lining comprising, in combination:
 - a metalized film having a first side and a second side;
- a first layer of acrylic latex having a first side and a second side, said second side of said first layer of acrylic latex is coated to said first side of said metalized film; and

a second layer of acrylic latex having a first side and a second side, said first side of said second layer of acrylic latex is coated to said second side of said metalized film, said combination of said metalized film, said first layer of acrylic latex and said second layer of acrylic latex providing a blackout and thermal drapery lining.

- (Currently Amended) The blackout and thermal drapery lining of Claim 1 wherein said first side of said first layer of acrylic latex is flocked.
- 3. (Currently Amended) The blackout and thermal drapery lining of Claim 1 wherein said second side of said second layer of acrylic latex is flocked.
- (Currently Amended) The blackout and thermal drapery lining of Claim 1 wherein said first side of said first layer of acrylic latex is flame retardant.
- (Currently Amended) The blackout and thermal drapery lining of Claim 1
 wherein said second side of said second layer of acrylic latex is flame
 retardant.
- 6. (Currently Amended) The blackout and thermal drapery lining of Claim 1 wherein said film is metalized with aluminum.

- 7. (Currently Amended) The blackout and thermal drapery lining of Claim 6 wherein said aluminum has an optical rating of between 1.5 and 4.0.
- 8. (Currently Amended) The blackout and thermal drapery lining of Claim 1 wherein said metalalized film is metalized with a metal having a thickness of between .0002 to .03 millimeters.
- (Currently Amended) The blackout and thermal drapery lining of Claim 1 wherein said film is polypropylene.
- 10. (Currently Amended) The blackout and thermal drapery lining of Claim 1 further comprising a drapery fabric coupled to said first side of said first layer of acrylic latex.
- 11. (Currently Amended) A blackout and thermal drapery comprising, in combination:
- a <u>light impermeable</u> metalized film having a first side and a second side; a fabric having a first side and a second side, said second side of said fabric is coupled to said first side of said <u>light impermeable</u> metalized film; and
- a layer of acrylic latex having a first side and a second side, said first side of said layer of acrylic latex is coated to said second side of said light impermeable metalized film, said combination of said light impermeable metalized film, said fabric and said layer of acrylic latex providing a blackout and thermal drapery.
- 12. (Currently Amended) The blackout and thermal drapery of Claim 11 wherein said second side of said layer of acrylic latex is flocked.

- 13. (Currently Amended) The blackout and thermal drapery of Claim 11 wherein said second side of said layer of acrylic latex is flame retardant.
- 14. (Currently Amended) The blackout and thermal drapery of Claim 11 wherein said light impermeable metalized film is metalized with aluminum.
- 15. (Currently Amended I) The blackout-and thermal drapery of Claim 14 wherein said aluminum has an optical rating of between 1.5 and 4.0.
- 16. (Currently Amended) The blackout and thermal drapery of Claim 11 wherein said metalalized light impermeable metalized film is metalized with a metal having a thickness of between .0002 to .03 millimeters.
- 17. (Currently Amended) The blackout and thermal drapery of Claim 11 wherein said film is polypropylene.
- 18. (Currently Amended) A blackout and thermal drapery comprising, in combination:
 - a light impermeable metalized film having a first side and a second side;
- a first layer of fabric having a first side and a second side, said second side of said first layer of fabric is coupled to said first side of said metalized film; and
- a second layer of fabric having a first side and a second side, said first side of said second layer of fabric is coupled to said second side of said light impermeable metalized film, said combination of said light impermeable metalized film, said first layer of fabric and said second layer of fabric providing a blackout and thermal drapery.

- 19. (Currently Amended) The blackout and thermal drapery of Claim 18 wherein said light impermeable metalized film is metalized with aluminum.
- 20. (Currently Amended) The blackout and thermal drapery of Claim 19 wherein said aluminum has an optical rating of between 1.5 and 4.0.
- 21. (Currently Amended) The blackout and thermal drapery of Claim 18 wherein said light impermeable metalized film is metalized with a metal having a thickness of between .0002 to .03 millimeters.
- 22. (Currently Amended) The blackout and thermal drapery of Claim 18 wherein said film is polypropylene.
- 23. (Currently Amended) A method for manufacturing a blackout and thermal drapery lining, comprising, in combination, the steps of:

providing a film having a first side and a second side;
metalizing said first side of said film and said second side of said film;
coating a first layer of acrylic latex to said first side of said metalized film;
and

coating a second layer of acrylic latex to said second side of said metalized film, said combination of said metalized film, said first layer of acrylic latex and said second layer of acrylic latex providing a blackout and thermal drapery lining.

- 24. (Original) The method of Claim 23 further comprising the step of flocking said first layer of acrylic latex.
- 25. (Original) The method of Claim 23 further comprising the step of flocking said second layer of acrylic latex.

- 26. (Original) The method of Claim 23 further comprising the steps of: providing a fabric; and coupling said fabric to said first layer of acrylic latex.
- 27. (Currently Amended) A method for manufacturing a blackout and thermal drapery, comprising, in combination, the steps of:

providing a film having a first side and a second side;

metalizing said first side of said film and said second side of said film for providing a light impermeable metalized film;

providing a fabric having a first side and a second side;

coupling said second side of said fabric to said first side of said light impermeable metalized film; and

coating a layer of acrylic latex to said second side of said <u>light</u>
<u>impermeable</u> metalized film, <u>said combination of said light impermeable</u>
<u>metalized film</u>, <u>said fabric and said layer of acrylic latex providing a blackout</u>
and thermal <u>drapery</u>.

28. (Original) The method of Claim 27 further comprising the step of flocking said layer of acrylic latex.

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29. (Currently Amended) A method for manufacturing a blackout and thermal drapery, comprising, in combination, the steps of:

providing a film having a first side and a second side;

metalizing said first side of said film and said second side of said film for providing a light impermeable metalized film;

providing a first layer of fabric having a first side and a second side; coupling said second side of said first layer of fabric to said first side of said light impermeable metalized film;

providing a second layer of fabric having a first side and a second side; and

coupling said first side of said second layer of fabric to said second side of said light impermeable metalized film, said combination of said light impermeable metalized film, said first layer of fabric and said second layer of fabric providing a blackout and thermal drapery.

30. (New) A blackout and thermal drapery lining comprising, in combination: a metalized film having a first side and a second side;

a first layer of acrylic latex having a first side and a second side, said second side of said first layer of acrylic latex is coated to said first side of said metalized film;

a second layer of acrylic latex having a first side and a second side, said first side of said second layer of acrylic latex is coated to said second side of said metalized film; and a drapery fabric coupled to said first side of said first layer of acrylic latex.

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31: (New) A method for manufacturing a blackout and thermal drapery lining, comprising, in combination, the steps of:

providing a film having a first side and a second side; metalizing said first side of said film and said second side of said film; coating a first layer of acrylic latex to said first side of said metalized film; coating a second layer of acrylic latex to said second side of said metalized film; providing a fabric; and coupling said fabric to said first layer of acrylic latex.